HOWARD COUNTY BRAC TASK FORCE
BRAC BIT: # 99
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SUBJECT(S): Events and HC Cyber Commission
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Upcoming Events/Actions:

BRAC Business Initiative (BBI) December Meeting (Fort Meade Regional Growth Management Committee)
   I.   **Date/Time:** 10 December 2010, 7:30-8:00 AM networking, 8:00 to 10:00 AM Program, 10:00-11:00 AM Networking
   II.   **Event:** Focus will be on Fort Meade, its operations and its tenants
   III. **Location: Fort Meade Golf Clubhouse , Fort George G. Meade, MD**
   IV.   **Attendees:**   BBI members and public invited. No admission costs. More detailed information to follow!
Networking Workshops (Baltimore, Washington Corridor Chamber of Commerce)
   I.   **Date/Time:** 4 November 2010, 3 February 2010, 7 April 2010; 08:30 to 09:30 AM
   II.   **Event:** Three workshops to help you grow your business; *Maximize the 45 second elevator speech, How to get the most from Networking events and How to follow through to build relationships.*
   III. **Location:** Baltimore Washington Corridor Chamber (BWCC) office located at 312 Marshall Ave, Suite 104 Laurel, MD 20707.
   IV.   **Attendees:** Workshops are free to BWCC Members **and BBI Members** who pre-register by calling 301-725-4000. Non-members and walk-ins are $35 per person/program. The presenter is Marsha Hall, founder and principal of Reputation Counts (www. Reputationcounts.com)

Discussion:

Howard County Cyber Commission
   I.   Howard County Executive Ken Ulman announced that he has formed a Cyber Commission to provide guidance and direction to his administration in order to maximize the opportunities generated by the evolution of cyber activity in the Baltimore-Washington region. The 13-member commission will be co-chaired by Larry Cox of SAIC and Richard Roca of The Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory.
   II.   Members of the Cyber Commission represent small, medium and large businesses in Howard County and cover varying fields of expertise such as: financial, real estate, technology and of course, cyber information.
   III. The 13 Commission members are:
         - Larry Cox, SAIC
         - Richard Roca, The Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory
         - Allen Cornell, NAI the Michael Companies, Inc.
         - David Powell, Federal Business Council, Inc.
         - Larry Letow, Convergence Technology Consulting, LLC
         - Ryan Frederic Applied Defense Solutions, Inc.
         - Dwayne Robinson, VSTI A SAS Company
         - Frank Ziegler, Corporate Office Properties Trust (COPT)
         - Elizabeth Rendon-Sherman, LG-Tek
         - Richard Kohr, Jr, Evergreen Capital, LLC
         - Greg Fitzgerald, Source Fire
         - Mark Jefferson, Worldwide Information Network Systems
         - Faith Horowitz, EmbedICs, LLC